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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Masaaki IIKAWA et al.

Application No.: 10/743,138

Filed: December 23, 2003

Title (As Amended):

IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS WITH
HEAT MITIGATION DEVICES

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Confirmation No.: 7493

Group Art Unit: 2852

Examiner: Q. Grainger

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401 Dulany Street

Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 26, 2004, the period for response to which has been extended through January 26, 2005 by the request for a two-month extension of time and associated fee filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and the timely allowance of the pending claims. Should the Examiner feel that there are any issues outstanding after consideration of the Response, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' undersigned representative to expedite prosecution.

EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective October 1, 2004

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS		
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	minus 20 =	*
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	minus 3 =	*
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		<input type="checkbox"/>

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR
Total	126/05	15	Minus 20 —
Independent	4	Minus 3	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

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	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR
Total	Minus	—	=
Independent	Minus	—	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	Minus	—	=	
Independent	Minus	—	=	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>				

- * If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20".
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "—".
- The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.

SMALL ENTITY TYPE	OTHER THAN OR SMALL ENTITY
RATE	FEES
BASIC FEE	395.00
OR	BASIC FEE 790.00
X 25	
OR	X 50
X 100	
OR	X 200
+180	
TOTAL	OR TOTAL

SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN OR SMALL ENTITY
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X 25	
OR	X 50
X 100	
OR	X 200
+180	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X 25	
OR	X 50
X 100	
OR	X 200
+180	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X 25	
OR	X 50
X 100	
OR	X 200
+180	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE